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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
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Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Fee (\$)	Small Entity
50	25
200	100
360	180

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Multiple dependent claims

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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